



SATB Piano Solo Advanced

No Roots

- Alice Merton -

Words and Music by A. Merton & N. Rebscher
Arranged by Hans Reintjes
Original Key B minor

Straight pop ♩ = 116

A

Soprano

Alto

Tenor

Bass

Piano Solo Advanced

Right hand play groove 2 octaves higher

8^{vb}

Dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm

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C

13

S *Tongue clicking*

A

T

B

P.S.A.

dm dm dm dm dm dm dm Dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm

B5

I build a home and wait for some-one to tear it down.

Mmh mmh

17

S

A

T

B

P.S.A.

dm dm

B5

Then pack it up in boxes, head for the next town running. 'Cause I've got memories and travel like gypsies in the night.

mmh mmh mmh mmh

29

S
roots, I've got no roots, I've got no

A
roots, but my home was ne - ver on the ground, I've got no roots, I've got no

T
roots, but my home was ne - ver on the ground, I've got no roots, I've got no

B
roots, I've got no roots, I've got no

P.S.A.
B^m F^{#m} B^m F^{#m} B₅ E^m G A

33

S
roots, roots, I've got no

A
roots. I've got no roots, but my home was ne - ver on the ground, I've got no

T
roots. I've got no roots, but my home was ne - ver on the ground, I've got no

B
roots. roots, I've got no

P.S.A.
B^m F^{#m} B^m F^{#m} B₅ B^m F^{#m} B^m F^{#m}

45

S

A

T

B

P.S.A.

Ask me where I come from, ___ I'll say a diffe-rent land. But I've got me-mo ries ___ and tra-vel like gyp-sies in the night.

mmh _____ mmh _____ mmh _____ mmh _____

dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm.

49

S

A

T

B

P.S.A.

I ___ count gates and num-bers ___ and play the gue-ssing game.

Mmh _____ mmh _____

mmh _____ mmh. _____ Mmh _____ mmh _____

dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm. Dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm

B5

G

61

S
thou - sand times. _____ roots,

A
thou - sand times. _____ I've got no roots, but my home was ne - ver on the ground, I've got no

T
8
thou - sand times. _____ I've got no roots, but my home was ne - ver on the ground, I've got no

B
thou - sand times. _____ roots,

P.S.A.
G A B^m F^{#m} B^m F^{#m}

65

S
roots, I've got no roots, _____ I've got no

A
roots, but my home was ne - ver on the ground, I've got no roots, _____ I've got no

T
8
roots, but my home was ne - ver on the ground, I've got no roots, _____ I've got no

B
roots, I've got no roots, _____ I've got no

P.S.A.
B^m F^{#m} B^m F^{#m} B₅ E^m G A

H

77

S roots, _____ I ____ like di-gging holes, hi - ding things in - side them.

A roots. _____ I ____ like di-gging holes, hi - ding things in - side them.

T roots. I ____ like di-gging holes, hi - ding things in - side them.

B roots. I ____ like di-gging holes, hi - ding things in - side them.

P.S.A. B^m F^{#m} B^m F^{#m} B₅ B₅

81

S When I grow old, I won't for-get to find them. I ____ like di-gging holes, hi - ding things in - side them.

A When I grow old, I won't for-get to find them. I ____ like di-gging holes, hi - ding things in - side them.

T When I grow old, I won't for-get to find them. I ____ like di-gging holes, Hi - ding things in - side them.

B When I grow old, I won't for-get to find them. I ____ like di-gging holes, hi - ding things in - side them.

P.S.A.

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91

S I'VE GOT NO ROOTS. NO

A I'VE GOT NO ROOTS. NO

T I'VE GOT NO ROOTS. NO

B dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm

P.S.A. B^m F^{#m} B₅ E^m G A

94

S ROOTS. I've got no roots, **J**

A ROOTS. I've got no roots, but my home was

T ROOTS. I've got no roots, but my home was

B dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm I've got no roots,

P.S.A. B^m F^{#m} B^m F^{#m} B₅ B^m F^{#m}

Stop Claps

K

104

S roots, _____ I've got no roots, _____ I've got no

A roots, but my home was ne-ver on the ground, I've got no roots, but my home was ne-ver on the ground, I've got no

T roots, but my home was ne-ver on the ground, I've got no roots, but my home was ne-ver on the ground, I've got no

B roots, _____ I've got no roots, _____ I've got no

P.S.A. B^m $F\#^m$ B^m $F\#^m$ B^m $F\#^m$ B^m $F\#^m$ B_5

108

S roots _____ I've got no roots. _____ NO!

A roots. _____ I've got no roots. _____ NO!

T roots, _____ I've got no roots. _____ NO!

B roots, _____ I've got no roots. _____ NO!

P.S.A. E^m G A B^m $F\#^m$ B^m $F\#^m$ B_5



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8

Dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm

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C

13

Tongue clicking

S

A

T

B

P.S.I.

dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm

I build a home and wait for some-one to tear it down.

Mmh mmh

B5

17

S

A

T

B

P.S.I.

dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm

Then pack it up in bo-xes, head for the next town ru-ning. 'Cause I've got me-mo ries and tra-vel like gyp-sies in the night.

mmh mmh mmh mmh

B5

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29

S roots, I've got no roots, I've got no

A roots, but my home was ne - ver on the ground, I've got no roots, I've got no

T roots, but my home was ne - ver on the ground, I've got no roots, I've got no

B roots, I've got no roots, I've got no

B^m F^{#m} B^m F^{#m} B₅ E^m G A

P.S.I.

33

S roots, roots, I've got no

A roots. I've got no roots, but my home was ne - ver on the ground, I've got no

T roots. I've got no roots, but my home was ne - ver on the ground, I've got no

B roots. roots, I've got no

B^m F^{#m} B^m F^{#m} B₅ B^m F^{#m} B^m F^{#m}

P.S.I.

45

S

A

T

B

P.S.I.

Ask me where I come from, I'll say a diffe-rent land. But I've got me-mo ries and tra-vel like gyp-sies in the night.

mmh mmh mmh mmh

dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm.

49

S

A

T

B

P.S.I.

Mmh mmh

I count gates and num-bers and play the gue-ssing game.

mmh mmh Mmh mmh

dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm. Dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm

B5

G

61

S
thou - sand times. _____ roots,

A
thou - sand times. _____ I've got no roots, but my home was ne - ver on the ground, I've got no

T
thou - sand times. _____ I've got no roots, but my home was ne - ver on the ground, I've got no

B
thou - sand times. _____ roots,

P.S.I.
G A B^m F^{#m} B^m F^{#m}

65

S
roots, I've got no roots, _____ I've got no

A
roots, but my home was ne - ver on the ground, I've got no roots, _____ I've got no

T
roots, but my home was ne - ver on the ground, I've got no roots, _____ I've got no

B
roots, I've got no roots, _____ I've got no

P.S.I.
B^m F^{#m} B^m F^{#m} B₅ E^m G A

H

77

S roots, _____ I ____ like di-gging holes, hi - ding things in - side them.

A roots. _____ I ____ like di-gging holes, hi - ding things in - side them.

T roots. I ____ like di-gging holes, hi - ding things in - side them.

B roots. I ____ like di-gging holes, hi - ding things in - side them.

B^m F^{#m} B^m F^{#m} B₅ B₅

P.S.I.

81

S When I grow old, I won't for-get to find them. I ____ like di-gging holes, hi - ding things in - side them.

A When I grow old, I won't for-get to find them. I ____ like di-gging holes, hi - ding things in - side them.

T When I grow old, I won't for-get to find them. I ____ like di-gging holes, Hi - ding things in - side them.

B When I grow old, I won't for-get to find them. I ____ like di-gging holes, hi - ding things in - side them.

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S I'VE GOT NO ROOTS. NO

A I'VE GOT NO ROOTS. NO

T I'VE GOT NO ROOTS. NO

B dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm

B^m F^{#m} B₅ E^m G A

P.S.I.

94

S ROOTS. I've got no roots, J

A ROOTS. I've got no roots, but my home was

T ROOTS. I've got no roots, but my home was

B dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm I've got no roots,

B^m F^{#m} B^m F^{#m} B₅ B^m F^{#m}

P.S.I.

Stop Claps

K

104

S roots, _____ I've got no roots, _____ I've got no

A roots, but my home was ne-ver on the ground, I've got no roots, but my home was ne-ver on the ground, I've got no

T roots, but my home was ne-ver on the ground, I've got no roots, but my home was ne-ver on the ground, I've got no

B roots, _____ I've got no roots, _____ I've got no

B^m F^{#m} B^m F^{#m} B^m F^{#m} B^m F^{#m} B₅

P.S.I.

108

S roots _____ I've got no roots. NO!

A roots. _____ I've got no roots. NO!

T roots, _____ I've got no roots. NO!

B roots, _____ I've got no roots. NO!

E^m G A B^m F^{#m} B^m F^{#m} B₅

P.S.I.

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A

Bass

Dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm

4

B

dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm.

B

7

A

I like di-gging holes and hi - ding things in - side them. When I grow old I hope

B

Dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm

10

A

I won't for-get to find them. 'Cause I've got me-mo ries and tra-vel like gyp-sies in the night

B

dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm.

22

S And a thou - sand times I've seen this road, a

A Hoo _____ oh _____

T mmh. _____ Hoo _____

B dm dm dm dm dm Hoo _____

D

25

S thou - sand times. _____ roots,

A ah. _____ I've got no roots, but my home was

T ah. _____ I've got no roots, but my home was

B ah. _____ roots,

28

S roots, I've got no

A ne - ver on the ground, I've got no roots, but my home was ne - ver on the ground, I've got no

T ne - ver on the ground, I've got no roots, but my home was ne - ver on the ground, I've got no

B roots, I've got no

40

S I've got no roots, _____

A I've got no roots. _____

T I've got no roots.

B I've got no roots.

E

43 Tongue clicking

S *(Tongue clicking)*

A I like stan-ding still, boy _____ that's just a wish-ful plan. Ask me where I come from,

T Mmh _____ mmh _____ mmh _____

B Dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm

46

S *(Tongue clicking)*

A _____ I'll say a diffe-rent land. But I've got me-mo ries _____ and tra-vel like gyp-sies in the night.

T mmh _____ mmh _____ mmh _____

B dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm dm.

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S mmh _____ And a thou - sand times I've seen this road, a

A Hoo _____ ah _____ a

T mmh. _____ Hoo _____ a

B dm dm dm dm dm. Hoo _____ a

61

S thou - sand times. _____ roots,

A thou - sand times. _____ I've got no roots, but my home was

T thou - sand times. _____ I've got no roots, but my home was

B thou - sand times. _____ roots,

G

64

S roots, I've got no

A ne - ver on the ground, I've got no roots, but my home was ne - ver on the ground, I've got no

T ne - ver on the ground, I've got no roots, but my home was ne - ver on the ground, I've got no

B roots, I've got no

76

S — I've got no roots.

A — I've got no roots.

T — I've got no roots.

B — I've got no roots.

H

79

S I ___ like di-gging holes, hi - ding things in - side them. When I grow old,

A I ___ like di-gging holes, hi - ding things in - side them. When I grow old,

T I ___ like di-gging holes, hi - ding things in - side them. When I grow old,

B I ___ like di-gging holes, hi - ding things in - side them. When I grow old,

82

S I won't for - get to find them. I ___ like di-gging holes, hi - ding things in - side them.

A I won't for - get to find them. I ___ like di-gging holes, hi - ding things in - side them.

T I won't for - get to find them. I ___ like di-gging holes, Hi - ding things in - side them.

B I won't for - get to find them. I ___ like di-gging holes, hi - ding things in - side them.

94 *Stop Claps*

S ROOTS. I've got no roots, _____

A ROOTS. I've got no roots, but my home was

T ROOTS. I've got no roots, but my home was

B dm dm dm dm dm dm I've got no roots, _____

97

S _____ roots, _____ I've got no

A ne - ver on the ground, I've got no roots, but my home was ne - ver on the ground, I've got no

T ne - ver on the ground, I've got no roots, but my home was ne - ver on the ground, I've got no

B _____ roots, _____ I've got no

100

S roots. _____ I'VE GOT NO roots. _____

A roots. _____ I'VE GOT NO roots. _____

T roots. _____ I'VE GOT NO

B roots. _____ I'VE GOT NO